Railway	*Number of cases*
Northeast Frontier	3237
Southern	2735
South Central	22839
South Eastern	9573
Western	5745
	125096

(b) 3104 cases involving payment of Rs. 28.51 Crores.

(c) Continuous efforts are made to recover the outstanding demurrage charges by regular meetings with the railuser Lien is also exercised on goods to expedite recovery of demurrage charges due

[*Translation*]

SC/ST Employees in Chittaranjan Locomotive Works

5351. SHRI SURAJ MANDAL Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state

(a) the total number of employees working in Chittaranjan Locomotive Works,

(b) the number of Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes employees out of them;

(c) whether the Government have any proposal to fill up the backlog of reserved vacancies, and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) 17698

(b) SC – 3134

ST – 1215

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) Most of the Backlog as on 30.4.91 has been cleared. A Special Recruitment drive is already going on to fill the remaining 14 ST vacancies in Group 'C'.

Price of Edible Oils

5352 SHRI RAJENDRA KUMAR SHARMA: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) the details of prices fixed for the edible oils for 1992-93;

(b) the extent to which it is remunerative to the farmers; and

(c) the scheme of the Government for the procurement of edible oil during 1992?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI) (a) The Government do not fix minimum support prices for edible oils.

(b) and (d) Do not arise

Foreign Assistance for Implementing Family Planning Programmes

5353. DR. RAMESH CHAND TOMAR:
SHRI DEVI BUX SINGH.
SHRI RATILAL VERMA·
SHRIMATI BHAVNA CHIKHALIA.

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state·

(a) whether the Government have received any foreign assistance for implement-

ing the Family Planning Programmes,

(b) if so, the names of the countries providing assistance and the extent of the assistance received during the year 1991-92;

(c) the details of the assistance to be provided to each State during 1992, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARADEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) Yes, please.

(b) A statement showing the details of external assistance received for family welfare programme during 1991-92 is enclosed.

(c) The details of assistance to be provided to different States under externally aided projects during 1992-93 will be worked out during the course of the year keeping in view actual availability of the external assistance during the year and the progress/ requirement of the States.

STATEMENT

Sr. No.	*Name of the Foreign Agency/Govt.*	*(Rs. in lakhs)*
1.	United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)	2750.00
2.	World Health Organisation (WHO)	483.52
3.	United Nations International Children Emergency Fund (UNICEF)	2753.00
4.	Norwegian Agency for the International Development (NORAD)	–
5.	Danish International Development Agency (DANIDA)	1143.00
6.	Overseas Development Agency (DDA)	522.00
7.	World Bank	2300.00
8.	United States Agency for International Development (USAID)	4201.25

Proposal for New Railway Lines in Madhya Pradesh

5354. SHRI MAHENDRA KUMAR SINGH THAKUR: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Madhya Pradesh Government have sent any proposal to the Union Government for laying of new railway lines;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken in this regard;

(c) whether the Government propose to lay Khandwa-Dahod railway line,

(d) if so, the action taken thereon; and